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The reply filed on 08/29/06 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): applicant has included a limitation that was canceled in the amendment filed 03/07/06, and it is not clear if the amendment was included erroneously or if the limitation has been resubmitted. Applicant is required to underline added limitations to the claims. The limitation in question is located in lines 24-26 of the claim, and recites, "with the centerline of the drive spindle the same centerline location above the base as that of the pilot pin". See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE** (1) **MONTH or THIRTY** (30) **DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Isaac Hamilton whose telephone number is 571-272-4509. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday between 8am and 5pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Boyer D. Ashley can be reached on 571-272-4502. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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